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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF UTAH

LAURA A. GADDY, individually and  
on behalf of all others similarly  
situated,

*Plaintiffs,*

v.

CORPORATION OF THE  
PRESIDENT OF THE CHURCH OF  
JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY  
SAINTS, a Utah corporation sole.

*Defendant*

ORDER GRANTING MOTION  
REQUESTING JUDICIAL NOTICE

(Request for Oral Argument)

(DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL)

2:19-cv-00554-RJS—DBP

Chief District Judge Robert J. Shelby

Magistrate Judge Dustin B. Pead

The Court has reviewed Plaintiff's Motion Requesting Judicial Notice, filed  
Nov. 17, 2020 (ECF#57) and Defendant's Response thereto.

Argument having been heard, and good cause appearing,

WHEREFORE the Court orders that judicial notice is hereby taken of the  
following adjudicative facts:

1. On August 4, 2015, Defendant published a never before seen photo of an opaque brown stone, that it claimed was used by Joseph Smith to translate the *Book of Mormon*. Exhibit 1 filed with Plaintiff's Motion Requesting Judicial Notice is an accurate photo of the brown stone.
2. Eyewitnesses claimed that when Smith used the stone, he placed it in a hat to exclude exterior light.
3. The brown stone has been in Defendant's custody since the Mormon pioneers crossed the plains in the mid-19<sup>th</sup> Century.

IT IS SO ORDERED:

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_, 2020. BY THE COURT:

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ROBERT J. SHELBY  
United States District Judge